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## RUSSIA'S IRON RULE

Wholesale Expulsion of Hebrews From  
St. Petersburg.

FINANCIAL RUIN CERTAIN TO FOLLOW  
THE CZAR'S POLICY.

The Engagement Between English and  
Portuguese at Delagoa Bay—How An  
African Monarch Treats His Mun-  
chauzen Subjects—Crowning of King  
Charles—German Affairs.

ST. PETERSBURG, May 25.—It is reported  
here that the Russian Government is preparing  
for a wholesale series of domiciliary  
police visits throughout the city and  
that the Hebrews are to be seized and  
imprisoned and conveyed later on to the  
Hebrew "Pale." It is added that the  
programme for the movement will be ready  
in about two weeks' time.

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IN THE NEXT

Sunday Post-Dispatch

Get a Ticket for an Excursion on

Wednesday Evening, June 3.

A TRIP ON  
THE RIVER

PRICE, FIVE CENTS.

BY CARRIAGE, FIFTEEN CENTS A WEEK.

NOONAN'S ALLIANCE

Rev. G. H. Grannis Charged That He Is  
in League With Saloons.

THE EVANGELICAL ALLIANCE DISCUSSES  
THE MAYOR.

A Comparison Drawn Between His Honor  
and Rev. Marcy Sheehan, the Bur-  
mese Preacher—Rev. R. A. Holland  
Scores Certain of His Vests From  
His Pulpit.

At the Evangelical Alliance this morning at  
Bowman Hall, Fifteenth and Lucas place,  
Rev. G. H. Grannis read a paper on Rev. Dr.  
Howard Crosby, the noted Presbyterian  
divine who for years had charge of the Fourth  
Avenue Presbyterian Church in New  
York City, into which he worked considerable  
changes. The paper was well received.

MURDEROUS ITALIANS.

New York, May 25.—Two Italians are under  
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the street. Hunter, who was walking behind  
the woman, shot him in the back, whereupon  
the policeman being fatally wounded in the  
abdomen.

KILLED BY A BURGLAR.

BURLINGTON, Io., May 25.—Edward Zeasier,  
living on South Hill, was shot by a burglar  
while he was sleeping. Zeasier got out of bed  
to answer a knock at his door, and found a  
burglar who had cut his throat with a knife  
and was trying to get away. Zeasier fired at  
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JALOUSIE THE CAUSE.

HILLSIDE, N. Y., May 25.—James A. Hiles,  
a wealthy Italian, was shot in the head  
yesterday evening. He was taken to the  
Hillside Hospital, where he died this morn-  
ing. Mrs. Hiles was the cause.

ROBERT AND ARSON.

FATIGUE CITY, Kan., May 25.—Robert Miller,  
representing the Mayor and Rev. Marcy Sheehan  
at the review stand on Saturday last, was  
attacked by a mob.

CRIMINAL NEWS IN BRIEF.

AT KNOXVILLE, Tenn., May 25.—Fred  
Edwards, a burglar, was shot by a police  
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## HALF A MILLION.

Mortgages Recorded Against the Star Rubber Co. of Trenton.

THE KEYSTONE BANK PRESIDENT STILL IN HIDING.

Detectives on His Track—His Wife's Statement—Treasurer Bardale of Philadelphia Too Ill to Appear in Court—Under Bond of \$25,000—Alton's Financial Sensation.

TRENTON, N. J., May 25.—Counsel for the Star Rubber Co. waited up Sunday night after midnight and then by a special arrangement had the County Clerk's office opened to record mortgages aggregating nearly half a million dollars on the property of the concern. This hasty proceeding it is believed was due to the fear that other creditors than those preferred might get a receiver appointed before the mortgages could be made of record. Following is a list of the mortgages with the amounts: To Jonathan Steward of the company, \$150,000; to Philip P. Dunn and W. J. Vannest, other partners, \$40,000; to the First National Bank of Trenton, \$50,000; to the Bordentown Banking Co., \$25,000; to Mahlon Hutchinson of Bordentown, \$25,000; to W. C. Irvin, \$12,000; to A. V. Manning, \$10,000, and to the Trenton Banking Co., \$2,000.

## MISSING MARSH.

THE FUGITIVE PRESIDENT OF THE KEYSTONE BANK IS STILL IN HIDING.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., May 25.—Gideon W. Marsh, the fugitive President of the Keystone Bank, has not yet been arrested, but it is expected that in a very short time he will be taken into custody. He is still at large, his wife, Mrs. Marsh, who is staying at the Highland House at Thurlow, says that her husband is near at hand, and that realizing the difficulty, he will probably surrender within a few days.

THE SEARCH AT NORFOLK.

NORFOLK, Va., May 25.—Saturday morning last, a man resembling Gideon W. Marsh, the fugitive President of the Keystone Bank, was seen here. The report comes from New York News that the Philadelphia detectives went out on the Bradlee's, a sumptuous hotel, in the hope that he was on board. It is believed by some that they arrested him and had started back to Philadelphia by an out of the way route. A telegram from Cape Henry Saturday night advised that the man was still present at that point, but nothing was said about anybody being taken off by the pilot boat. A United States detective has been in Norfolk several days watching outgoing trains.

## HARDLEY TOO ILL TO APPEAR.

PHILADELPHIA, May 25.—City Treasurer Hardley was again too ill to day to appear in answer to a summons. He was ill with a severe headache. Magistrate Poole at noon, told his physician forbade him to leave the house. A fact that was overlooked by the morning paper is that Mr. Hardley under \$25,000 bond. The warrant was issued on January 18, and on Saturday night when Mr. Hardley was arrested at his home in Germantown, No one had entered security for him.

## WEDDING PRESENTS.

Lowell's new collection of CUT-GLASS, DOUTON, SOLID SILVER WARES, ROYAL WORCESTER AND DRESDEN, PARIAN MARBLE WARES, SILVER PLATED WARE AND CUTLERY, MUSIC BOXES, SEVRES WARES, CLOCKS AND WATCHES, CLOISONNE AND PORCELAIN. Our low prices will please you. MERMOD & JACCARD JEWELERY CO., Corner Broadway and Locust. Ask for catalogues; 2,000 engravings.

## Gave Thanks for His Release.

"Come on, chilien! Come on! Praise de Lawd! I've gwine home again!"

It was 10:30 o'clock this morning and the walls of the court room rang with these shouts. Old James Harris had been released from custody, and he was "jubilating" in consequence.

Harris was charged with assault with intent to kill. On the morning of May 4 he quarreled with his son-in-law, Lee Thomas, at their truck garden on the Columbia Bottoms near St. Louis. He was pulled a lot of small shot into the young man's head and neck, inflicting wounds which were at that time supposed to be of a necessarily fatal nature. Thomas recovered, however, and was soon home again. He was arrested and was held in the County of Criminal Correction to-day.

Everybody connected with the case showed a disinclination to prosecute the action. The only witness for the defendant was his wife and daughter, and even Thomas told the prosecutor with only like-warm words. Presenting Attorney Dierkes announced that he would enter a nolle prosequi and the other two firms joined with him. Dierkes being in jail for over two weeks. His demonstrations were ludicrous in the extreme, as he led his little flock from the courtroom, as he led his little flock from the courtroom.

TWENTY-ONE stores in New York and vicinity are engaged in selling solely Nickel-In-Cigars. In store will open up-to-morrow. Monday.

A Nickel-In store will open up-to-morrow, Monday, at 812 North Fourth street, near Olive.

Daughters of the Confederacy.

The managers of the star-spangled banner held last week have cast up the returns and find that the success was even greater than they anticipated. The festival was held under the auspices of the Daughters of the Confederacy for the purpose of raising funds for the Confederate Soldiers' Home at Higginville, Mo.

The ladies are especially desirous of thanking those who rendered material assistance, and passed. Among them who rendered material assistance are Mr. and Mrs. Pescot for refreshments, Mrs. Redden Spilker, the St. Louis Dairy Co., Dozier-Weyl's Cracker Co., Scott's Candy Co., Ladd's Furniture Co., Miller & Steppenwolff, who added to the pleasure the dishes necessary, donated a vase which brought \$6.50; the press; Mr. Whipple, who printed the program; Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Moore for music, and all of the young ladies who served so faithfully and well in person at the festival.

The Nickel-In Co. at 812 North Fourth street, will open its twenty-second store Monday morning. It has twenty-one stores in New York and vicinity, engaged in selling only Nickel-In cigars.

## Stabbed in the Stomach.

A warrant for assault with intent to kill was sworn out by the Four Courts this morning against John Barrille, a young negro. About 11 o'clock last night Barrille and two other negroes were standing at the corner of Jefferson and Main street, when George Dubouc, a brakeman, was pushed against him. Barrille attempted to defend himself and struck him in the stomach. Dubouc was in a critical condition at the Missouri Pacific Hospital to-day. Barrille is under arrest.

## Horford's Acid Phosphate.

A Nerve-Food and Tonic. The most effective yet discovered.

## AMONG THE BROKERS.

A Very Dull Market—Stocks Sold and Prices Obtained to Day.

There was scarcely any trading on the Morning Exchange this morning, and as a rule prices were low.

Granite Mountain was weak, ten shares were sold at \$21.75 and more could have been obtained at that figure.

The anticipated boom in the Elizabeth has failed to materialize; the stock has been weak and low in price. To-day the stock was freely offered at \$22.50, but the best bids were at \$23.00, and no sales were made.

Montrose was somewhat lower, the stock being offered at \$23.50, with a sale of 100 shares at \$23.

The following quotations were made on call to day:

	BID.	ASK.	BID.	ASK.
Adams... 1/200	Max. Imp.	\$6.45	1/200	\$6.25
American	.....	.....	.....	.....
Bi-Metal	.....	40/45	.....	40/45
Cent. St. 2	3	Neills.	60	70
Civ. & Am.	.....	.....	.....	.....
Cour. d'A.	.....	.....	.....	.....
Gold King	25/50	P. Murphy	.....	.....
Hope.	1/2	R. Hill	.....	.....
I. X. L.	.....	Silver Age	1.75	1.85
Elizabeth	2.05	St. Queen	.....	.....
Little Alib.	100	Yankee	80	90
Mal. Budd.	111	.....	.....	.....

The market was dull and sales were small in amount.

THE NICKEL-IN CIGAR has a larger sale than any other brand in the world. 5¢ for 5 for 25¢. 35¢ per hundred, \$20 per M. S. 12 North Fourth street.

## East St. Louis.

A Cahokia colored woman named Martha Myers was shot and fatally wounded early yesterday morning, supposedly by Brooks Sharpe, a farm laborer who lived near her. The woman was found in the yard of her home, lying with a .38-caliber bullet in her side, and the doctors say she will die. As the victim has been unconscious since the shooting no one has been able to learn the cause of the accident.

The City Court reconvened this morning and after a short session, during which the court was adjourned for the term. The next term opens in August.

## Belleville.

Members of Hecker Post, No. 48, G. A. R., and Col. Mersey Camp, No. 10, Sons of Veterans, in full uniform, were present at the funeral of the late Rev. Dr. W. H. E. church last night. Rev. W. D. Woodard, the pastor, preached an eloquent sermon on "The Fallen Hero—His Memory a Nation's Treasure." This subject was founded on the death of General George Custer.

A fine game of ball was played at National Park yesterday afternoon between the Hudsons of St. Louis and the Pinans of the former city.

On account of the extreme unhealthiness of the Isthmus at this season of the year, no attempt will be made to survey this part of the canal. The question as to the best way to attack the work will be left for full consideration.

## Come and See Them.

Those great \$8.85 and \$12.00 lace Albert, Cutaway and Sack Suits a few days longer; worth \$20 to \$25.

GLOBE, 703 to 718 Franklin avenue.

## Charged With Embezzlement.

Martin McPheeters, alias Assistant Prosecuting Attorney East at the Four Courts this morning and swore out a warrant for embezzlement against Martin McPheeters. The prosecuting witness is a dealer in binding wood and supplies for binders, at 260 Maiden Lane. The defendant had been some time in his employ in the capacity of a salesman. Ten days ago McPheeters learned that McPheeters was for whom no return was made. He interrogated the young man's accounts and to-day made affidavit that McPheeters had misappropriated the sum of \$24. The defendant is now held for further consideration.

## NEW NAVAL STATION.

THE QUESTION OF ESTABLISHING ONE AT THE SANANA BAY.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 25.—The question of a naval station in the West Indies is being seriously discussed by the Government. The failure to make negotiations with the Mole at Nicholas will probably result in an attempt to obtain the desired privileges on the eastern side on the island from the Dominican Republic. The admiral in charge of the naval forces in the West Indies is Admiral Gherardi to the Navy Department.

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## IT Took Ingenuity and Clever Fingers, but It Proved a Great Success.

From the Chicago Tribune.

She wanted a new parasol, she needed a new umbrella, she turned up her head to have a new parasol. She also decided to buy a new parasol. As she didn't know how to earn \$6 and new parasols do not grow on bushes in this latitude it was evident that if she had a new parasol she would be a laughing stock.

Looking over her relics of departed finery she found a parasol of pongee silk. The fabric was a good one, but the handle was broken.

Then she set her wits to work. When a woman is in the habit of using her thinking apparatus and fingers to correspond, she is likely to be a much better person.

By-and-by she emerged from her brown study and took off the new parasol. The new one was a good one, but the handle was broken.

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## THE TIDE OF IMMIGRATION.

AN INCREASE OF NEARLY ONE HUNDRED THOUSAND IMMIGRANTS IN TEN MONTHS.

WASHINGTON, May 25.—The Chief of the Bureau of Immigration reports that the number of immigrants arrived at the ports of the United States from foreign countries during the ten months ended April 30, 1890, and 1891, was as follows:

Austria-Hungary..... 53,775 40,505

Denmark..... 2,500 6,500

Germany..... 56,964 65,407

Iceland..... 6,019 4,600

Italy..... 34,495 33,054

Netherlands..... 5,674 3,059

Portugal..... 1,000 1,000

Russia (except Poland)..... 32,374 24,909

Sweden and Norway..... 32,514 26,973

Switzerland..... 14,803 9,983

Total..... 401,238 318,615

## NO FRIENDS OR TREASURE GREENWOOD.

ALTON, Ill., May 25.—Peter Greenwood, the

round-trip tourist rate from Missouri River to Colorado Springs was reduced to \$15 for the Union Pacific Railway. This rate goes into effect June 1.

## No Friends or Treasure Greenwood.

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## Hornford's Acid Phosphate.

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MONDAY, MAY 25, 1891.

TEN PAGES.

Weather forecast for twenty-four  
hours, beginning at 8 a.m. to-day,  
for Missouri: Clearing; cooler; north  
wind.

Weather forecast for twenty-four  
hours, beginning at 8 a.m. to-day,  
for St. Louis: Rain to-night; station-  
ary temperature.

The third party may at least furnish  
a rope for a few light-headed politicians  
to hang themselves with.

SENATOR PEPPER helped to found  
the People's party, the gleam of hope  
doubtless returned to INGALLS' eye.

The second week of the canvass for the  
fall festivitas fund opened to-day, and  
with a strong pull the work can be practi-  
cally finished before it closes.

SECRETARY BLAINE's mind may be im-  
paired, but Prince HUNSELL should reflect  
that a fine intellect which is somewhat im-  
paired is better than none at all.

THE Chicago airship is not a useless in-  
vention. It enabled Prof. BUSH'S. DODD to  
rain and get away with about \$4,000, and the  
Omaha people paid to see the thing  
work.

REPUBLICAN organs professing to view  
the third party movement as a Demo-  
cratic scheme to divert votes from the Re-  
publican party have a low opinion of Re-  
publican voters.

The example of the Prince of Wales in  
avoiding the gentlemen who insist upon  
his paying what he owes them will no  
doubt be followed with alacrity by the  
scions of American aristocracy.

It was in accordance with the natural  
order of things that yesterday's SUNDAY  
POST-DISPATCH, which was in all respects  
the best newspaper published in this city,  
should have had by far the greatest num-  
ber of St. Louis readers.

PERHAPS the rumor that Mr. BLAINE is  
a very sick man has arisen from the an-  
nouncement of the bulletins for many days  
past that he is convalescing rapidly. Un-  
der the circumstances, the conclusion that  
there is much room for convalescence is  
natural.

SENATOR STEWART of Nebraska is  
quoted as remarking, "We all love the  
President," and adding in the next  
breath, "No, he will not be President  
again." The Senator, doubtless, means  
thus delicately to intimate that he is  
about to renominate LINDSAY.

THE report that the movement of gold to  
Europe is nearly at an end means that the  
immense importations made in anticipa-  
tion of the McKinley bill have about been  
paid for. The payment helped European  
financial circles out of a bad box and the  
McKinley bill, therefore, served a good  
turn for Europe in the beginning, at least.

THE report that Pension Commissions  
RAUM is to resign and that the President  
will accept his resignation does not bear  
out the assertion that RAUM's record is un-  
assilled. An official with an unsullied  
record does not resign under fire, and in-  
stead of being merely a victim of circum-  
stances he would be a victim of gross in-  
justice if he were forced to do so.

In taking steps for the prosecution of  
young RAUM and his associates in the Pen-  
sion Office frauds and violations of the  
civil service laws the Civil Service Com-  
mission has done the right thing. To per-  
mit official rascals to evade the conse-  
quences of their villainy, as was ap-  
parently contemplated in this case, would  
be an outrage on the country and would  
have set a most pernicious example to  
other officials.

If there is any profit in the manufacture  
of tin plate under the increased protection  
afforded it by the McKinley tariff law St.  
Louis offers the best opportunities to such an

extent, yielded so much fighting ground  
and put itself into such a discreditable po-  
sition that it can neither expect to coerce  
the Mayor nor hope to entitle itself to  
public confidence by successfully resisting  
his basism at any point.

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REPRESENTATIVE HOUCK.

Sudden Death of the Congressman at His  
Home in Tennessee.

KNOXVILLE, Tenn., May 25.—Judge L. C.  
Houck, Representative in Congress from the  
Sevier County, Tennessee, District, died  
this morning at 7 o'clock. Yesterday  
afternoon he went to a doctor's office near his  
residence to get a prescription put up. The  
druggist compounded it for him and set it  
down in a glass near another containing a  
strong smelling medicine. A House  
took by mistake. Antidotes were  
promptly administered and by 10 o'clock last  
night he was so well that nothing  
was said about the circumstances  
except to the physician for treatment.  
He slept through the night and died this  
morning suddenly. He had heart disease,  
and the poison and excitement following the  
incident affected that organ and was the  
cause of his death.

LEONARDAS C. HOUCHE was born in Sevier  
County, Tennessee, June 8, 1858. He started  
life as a cabin boy, worked his way through  
during his spare hours, and studied law in the  
same manner. In 1889 he was admitted  
to the bar, entered the Union army, rising to  
the rank of Colonel. In 1890 he was elected  
to the Tennessee Constitutional Convention and  
in 1892 was elected Judge of the Seventeenth  
District Court. In 1894 he moved to Knoxville  
and became a prominent lawyer. In 1896 he  
was a Republican presidential elector from  
Tennessee. He was a member of the Franklin  
District, and rides the district which is known as Kates-  
ville, near Gravoids road and King's highway.  
He received the nomination of the Franklin  
District at the annual convention held in  
Knoxville in 1898, and was elected to the  
Republican National Convention in 1896.  
Col. Houck is one of the Republican  
members of the legislature, and has a  
high position in the councils of his  
party.

CAUSED SENSATIONAL RUMORS.

About 10 o'clock last night Officer Hesse  
told his wife he intended to shoot a negro com-  
mitted sum up by shooting himself.

The man was lying in the court-  
room of the Tennessee Constitutional Convention and  
as he was now but was unable to get a place  
to sit down, he hopped a Post-DISPATCH reporter  
and the two men sat together.

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## THE DUTY REDUCED.

Lowering of the French Import Upon American Wheat and Flour.

The action of the French Government on Saturday last, to reduce immediately wheat and flour, assures an immensely increased trade in these commodities not only between the United States and France, but also between this country and Spain.

Italy never since the fact that the French wheat crop would prove a failure was evident strong effort to either reduce the foreign wheat and flour or to abolish it altogether. It has been made by Deputies. This has been bitterly fought by the representatives of the agricultural interests, and for a time they were successful in preventing any change from being made. But as the fact became apparent that the failure of the crop was more complete than had been anticipated, the pressure became stronger, and finally on reducing the tariff on foreign grain to 3 francs and on flour to 6 francs a hotchpot. The proposal to entirely remove the tax received a heavy vote, but it did not pass, the reason being that wheat can be imported from this country at a good profit, and the entire deficiency of the French crop will be supplied from the United States, not only because the crop in the port of New Orleans is large, but also because the wheat grown in that country is better suited to the French mills than that of either Russia or Hungary. The dealers in this market are particularly jubilant, as the grain received in this market is exactly what the French want. Hard wheat is desired only for mixing, the great bulk of that used in France being soft wheat, which is not wanted here.

This morning some telegrams came to hand giving directions for purchases, and within a short time many more are expected. The dealers in this market will be put in the line between New Orleans and Havre, and it is anticipated that the foreign exports from this city will be increased many hundred per cent. The telegrams are now coming in rapidly, ceasing with the present year, but it is the general belief that it will never again be raised to its former figures.

Buy your boy one of our School Suits. We show a great variety of School Suits for boys' wear and at popular prices. You must see our stock of Boys' Clothing before you buy, as we have many styles which you cannot see in other clothing stocks.

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Ella Hillbrandt's Sad Experience. Ella Hillbrandt, alias Mary Wilmright, who was arrested charged with stealing silks at Scruggs, Vandervoort & Barney's, said she is the daughter of a well-to-do farmer living near Whittemore, Ill. She was engaged three years ago, she states, as a traveling saleswoman for the Royal Glass Co. of Chicago, and met a drummer for a Chicago house near Dayton, O. She was fascinated by him, and after she gave up traveling and returned to Illinois, she was corresponded with him, and finally joined him in St. Louis, she states, at his request, where they lived for a week at the St. James Hotel's man and wife. She then left him, having no money and desiring to return home. Having no money and desiring to return home she decided, she states, to replenish her wardrobe by stealing, as she wanted to present a good appearance, having written to her parents that she was doing well.

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## The Paulian Medal.

The Paulian medal, which is awarded annually by the Christian Brothers' College for proficiency in oratory, was won this year by Mr. William Griswold Smith. The contest was held in the hall of the school, and was witnessed by the Brothers' College, Cots, and Blante before a large audience. The efforts of the students who had labored for the prize were most remarkable and reflected great credit on their parents. The prize was closely contested for by Messrs. Sam Bishop, Wm. Patrick, Chas. B. Portes, Conde S. Cummings and George A. Mellon. Hon. John J. O'Neill, J. J. McCann, and O'Neill Ryan acted as judges.

## Fifteen Hundred for Ten."

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National President T. P. A., at Geo. D. Barnard & Co.'s.

## Used the Money to Get Married.

Mrs. Bayersaderer of 1017 South Seventh street, St. Louis, has just come to town to have her son John, who is on his wedding tour to Kansas City, arrested. John, she states, sold a newspaper route which he had bought for him and married Augusta Reitmeier at 101 Park Avenue.

## Trunks and Bags.

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For Boys and Children at bargain prices. Shannon Tweeds in Boys' Suits, 14 to 18, for \$4.95, worth \$8.50; Cheviots in the same sizes for \$2.19, worth \$6.50; regular lines of \$6.50 Knee-Pant Suits, for \$3.45, and a few odd lots of \$4.00 and \$4.50 goods for \$1.95, sizes of these 4 to 14.

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## FOREIGN CONTRACT LABORERS.

## The Difficult Task of the Inspectors of Immigrants.

NEW YORK, May 25.—Every steamer coming into New York is required to furnish a certificate guaranteeing by one or more inspectors, accompanied by an interpreter, according to the interest and nationality of the passengers. Efforts are being made to ascertain if any people under contract are on board, so well is this method known that there probably is no agent in Europe who has not a full knowledge of it.

Immigrant laborers who have not a full description of every inspector employed and the interpreters as well.

It is even hinted that their photographs are taken by the agents of the various countries.

As a natural result, every immigrant, who is under contract to be sent to America, is apt to suspect that his master is under contract to leave the large office in a body for some specific point, one of the "traveling division" of inspectors is sent to look up the case. Three of these inspectors are now on the road.

This is the only real detective work done by this bureau, and these brief are the methods employed by the Inspector to detect the various forms of swindling.

It is the task of the Inspector to convict the master, who is under contract to send him back, and upon this time the traveling inspectors bank their hopes. These operations are confined mostly to inquiries, and not to the trial.

The affair will be largely attended as will the interest of the occasion this will be the first time the Inspector will meet the master.

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HIPHREY'S.  
St. Louis, Mo., May 25, 1891.  
Stationary temperature.



Livery Coat.

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Pension St., New York, N. J., writes: "Prior to  
the bright, appetizing good gained at the 'Re-  
sidence,' 11th and Clark, from the Washington Ave.  
Drug Co., the one Washington Ave."

## AN UNBIDDEN GUEST.

A Husband, Supposed to Be Dead, Returns to Find His Wife Married.  
WILKES-BARRE, Pa., May 25.—Eighteen months ago George Phoen went to New Orleans and a short time afterwards his wife received a newspaper clipping concerning his death. The following year she married Wm. Jones and until last Friday supposed that her first husband was dead. That morning Phoen made his appearance and was recognized at once by Mrs. Jones. Mr. Jones was introduced to him and said he had been to New Orleans and his wife had sent to him the result of the meeting was that Phoen would return to New Orleans to find that she had returned to him at Knoxville, Tenn. Mrs. Jones will now have a divorce from Phoen and remarry Jones.

## Torpedo Cruiser for Japan.

SAN FRANCISCO, Calif., May 25.—Representatives of the Japanese Government have been in negotiation with the Union Iron Works of this city for the construction of a torpedo cruiser, and have just sailed for home for final instructions before making the award.

Headquarters of the Union Iron Works and its contract has let, but refused to disclose the master further.

## RELIGIOUS NOTICES.

THE REV. DR. NARAYAN SHESHADRI of Bombay, India, has come to America. He is illustrated by stereopticon views by a good stereopticon at Compton Avenue Presbyterian Church, New Haven, Conn., on Saturday evening, May 26, at 8 P. M. All are cordially invited to attend.

## SITUATIONS WANTED—MALE.

WANTED—A widow lady, aged 35, to no incum-  
bent, residing in St. Louis, to go East as companion. Add. D 19, this office.

## CLERKS AND SALESMEN.

WANTED—Lady's situation as collector; best of city reference. Also from foreign ex-  
pioneer E 22, this office.

## DRESSEMAKERS and SEAMSTRESSSES.

WANTED—A dressmaker wants work in families; terms, \$1.00 per day. Address D 24, this office.

## Housekeepers.

WANTED—Sit, by elderly woman, with a dog, a  
good housekeeper for a widow. Call at 165.  
166, Chestnut st.

## WANTED—First-class housekeeper wants position to care for a young man of 19 years old. All refer- ences. Address E 24, this office.

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## General Housework.

WANTED—Sit, by a young German girl for general housework in a small family. Address 1424 S. 12th st.

## The Trades.

WANTED—Situation for first-class baker; best  
refs. Address E 23, this office.

## WANTED—First-class carpenter desires a position as foreman or superintendent. Address M 20. 21st st.

## WANTED—Position by a young man to learn some good trade, mechanic's preferred; not afraid of work. Address E 23, this office.

## WANTED—Young man 24 years old wants to learn the drug business; speaks German and English; h- urry no object. Address L. Ehrlich, 1422 N. 12th st.

## Stenographers.

WANTED—A position by a young man as stenographer  
and typewriter; some experience in financial mat-  
ters. Ad. G. 23, this office.

## Miscellaneous.

WANTED—Plasterer by a young man willing to  
do anything. Add. G. 23, this office.

## WANTED—Situation by a young man, good for a woman in a wholesale house. Apply at 2500 N. Jefferson st.

## WANTED—Laundress by a young woman. Call or inside work; also handy with tools. Call or add. P. A. J. 23, this office.

## WANTED—By steady young man, a position where honesty and industry will be appreciated and rewarded. Address G 20, this office.

## WANTED—Position can teach home and rig good milker, or willing to do any kind of work. 24th st. refer. Address T 24, this office.

## WANTED—Position by a young man not afraid to work; can give good reference. Address S 24, this office.

## HELP WANTED—MALE.

## Clerks and Salesmen.

WANTED—Two experienced salesmen, aged 45  
and over, for oil and crayon stores. Add. S 20, this office.

## WANTED—Customer. Fix clothing made to order. Address 1120 N. 6th st., St. Louis.

## WANTED—Salesman to wholesale and manufacture household articles. Address 1120 N. 6th st., St. Louis.

## WANTED—Salesman or salary or commission to have the new patent sewing novelty ever produced; price through in two seconds; no abrasion of parts; amount to \$60 in six days; another \$32 in two hours. Address 1120 N. 6th st., St. Louis.

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## Dressmakers and Seamstresses.

WANTED—A seamstress in family. 313 Brant-  
ton st.

## WANTED—Girls to sew straw hats. Apply 416 Lucas st.

## WANTED—26 good hands to sew; steady work. Address 1120 N. 6th st., St. Louis.

## WANTED—A girl to work on a spinning wheel. Eagle Av- ing Co., 21st and St. Charles st.

## WANTED—A girl to wash laundry. 4333 Olive st.

## WANTED—A steady woman for laundry work; small family. Address 1120 N. 6th st., St. Louis.

## WANTED—A girl to cook; light house work; small family. Address 1120 N. 6th st., St. Louis.

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## FURNITURE LOANS.

25¢ weekly to loan on furniture or residence  
without removal; lowest rates; business strictly con-  
fidential. C. F. Hets, 1005 Pine st.

## General Housework.

WANTED—A housegirl at 2223 Washington st.

## WANTED—At 1120 N. 6th st., second floor, a good housewife.

## WANTED—Girl for general housework. Apply 2262 Olive st.

## WANTED—Young girl 12 to 14 for light house- work. 1120 Market st.

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